

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Saturday, May 10, 2008 – 0800 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (148 new fires)
 New large fires: 1 (*)
 Large fires contained: 4
 Uncontained large fires: 8
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1
 Fire Use Teams committed: 0

** Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. **

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 5
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 3
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

Trigo, Cibola NF. IMT 1 (Whitney). Ten miles east of Belen, NM. Hardwood litter and timber. Smoldering.

South Tularosa, Mescalero Agency, BIA. Four miles southeast of Mescalero, NM. Mixed conifer. Creeping and smoldering.

Solano, Papago Agency, BIA. Twenty miles east of Sells, AZ. Brush. Active fire behavior with runs, crowning, torching and spotting. One structure threatened.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Trigo	NM	CIF	13,709	0	95	5/11	486	-37	12	14	5	89	10.2M	FS
South Tularosa	NM	MEA	3,860	0	90	5/11	196	43	5	5	3	0	2.4M	BIA
* Solano	AZ	PPA	1,000	---	0	NR	155	---	6	3	3	0	50K	BIA
Twenty-Two – WFU	AZ	KNF	237	104	N/A	N/A	45	-3	2	1	0	0	44K	FS

KNF - Kaibab NF

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 76
New large fires: 0
Uncontained large fires: 4
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Texas Winter Fires 2008, Texas Forest Service. IMT 2 (Hannemann). IMT supporting fires throughout western Texas. Acres reported are a cumulative total.

Lone Oak, Cherokee NF. One mile southwest of Johnson City, TN. Hardwood litter. Smoldering. Residences threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Myakka Cut, Florida DOF. Five miles north of Clewiston, FL. Grass. Smoke impacting Highway 27. Moderate rates of spread. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Grassy Island, Florida DOF. Three miles north of Clewiston, FL. Grass. Moderate rates of spread.

Tyler, Florida DOF. Seven miles west of Newberry, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

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Texas Winter Fires 2008	TX	TXS	15,124	0	NR	UNK	382	12	1	19	5	4	38.4M	PRI
Lone Oak	TN	CNF	1,500	600	95	UNK	68	1	2	2	1	0	64K	FS
Myakka Cut	FL	FLS	3,000	-2,800	50	UNK	1	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Grassy Island	FL	FLS	5,600	2,600	50	UNK	2	0	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
Tyler	FL	FLS	900	0	80	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Bombing Range 15	FL	FNF	1,200	0	100	---	23	0	0	4	3	0	291K	FS
Byas Springs	TX	TXS	924	24	100	---	0	---	0	0	0	3	NR	PRI
Buck Horn Ranch	TX	TXS	810	110	100	---	0	-14	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

FNF - National Forests in Florida

Western Great Basin Area (PL 1)

New fires: 0
New large fires: 0
Uncontained large fires: 1

Como, Carson City Field Office, BLM. Fifteen miles east of Carson City, NV. Pinyon pine and brush. Creeping, isolated torching and short-range spotting. Structures and communications site threatened.

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Como	NV	CCD	476	76	90	5/10	271	115	9	10	0	0	1.2M	BLM

Northern California Area (PL 1)

New fires: 13
New large fires: 0
Uncontained large fires: 0

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Colyear	CA	TGU	1,331	0	100	---	0	-264	0	0	0	0	471K	ST

TGU - Tehama-Glenn Unit, CAL FIRE

Predictive Services Discussion: Dry and windy conditions continue for New Mexico and west Texas today. The Southeast will begin to see some light precipitation today ahead of a stronger storm system for Sunday.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook products.



http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php

CONSTRUCTING LINE WITHOUT A SAFE ANCHOR POINT

When deciding where to build fireline, the following considerations must be weighed:

- Can you hold the line without the fire hooking under/around you? How do you protect against losing the line and ensure your safety if there is a danger of the fire hooking around you?
- Are there adequate safety zones and escape routes? Review what constitutes an adequate safety zone and escape route. Who has the responsibility to designate them and continue to make sure they are adequate?
- Can you develop your starting point into an anchor point? List some good anchor points. Describe how you would develop your starting point into an anchor point.
- Have you posted good lookouts? Where should the lookout(s) be posted? Who can be a lookout?
- Do you have good communications? Who do you need to be in contact with? If the communications are not good, what can you do to improve them?
- To reduce the risks, start the line in another location. Talk about fires where you have had to relocate the line because your anchor point did not hold the fire.

Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					2		2
	ACRES					0		0
Northwest	FIRES					5		5
	ACRES					2		2
Northern California	FIRES					10	3	13
	ACRES					7	1	8
Southern California	FIRES					0		0
	ACRES					7		7
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2	1					3
	ACRES	265	49					314
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES					1	2	3
	ACRES					0	35	35
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	1				3	1	5
	ACRES	1,000				3	0	1,003
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	18				21	1	40
	ACRES	26				13	1	40
Southern Area	FIRES			1		75		76
	ACRES			4		468		472
TOTAL	FIRES	21	1	1	0	117	8	148
	ACRES	1,291	49	4	0	500	37	1,881

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1			55		56
	ACRES		206			138		344
Northwest	FIRES	21	6	4		39	18	88
	ACRES	138	0	1,398		178	9	1,723
Northern California	FIRES		3		4	90	44	141
	ACRES		1		11	3,310	29	3,351
Southern California	FIRES	7	21	2		579	49	658
	ACRES	0	87	0		1,441	747	2,275
Northern Rockies	FIRES	263	3	7		59	33	365
	ACRES	6,159	113	3,638		9,898	272	20,080
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	10	1	3	16	3	36
	ACRES	266	40	492	5	4,035	2	4,840
Western Great Basin	FIRES	2	20		5	12	3	42
	ACRES	3	19		1	1,040	0	1,063
Southwest	FIRES	191	58	3	28	314	145	739
	ACRES	5,264	13,507	24	526	215,650	31,987	266,958
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	107	7	17	1	152	11	295
	ACRES	727	302	1,921	0	58,754	3	61,707
Eastern Area	FIRES	199		3	6	4,967	124	5,299
	ACRES	434		2	203	35,540	575	36,754
Southern Area	FIRES	778		150	21	12,734	284	13,967
	ACRES	51,259		11,447	414	888,403	21,364	972,887
TOTAL	FIRES	1,571	129	187	68	19,017	714	21,686
	ACRES	64,250	14,275	18,922	1,160	1,218,387	54,988	1,371,982

Ten Year Average Fires	27,514
Ten Year Average Acres	796,622

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. ***

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	0	1				0	1
	ACRES	572	40				1,424	2,036
Northern California	FIRES				1		1	2
	ACRES				27		255	282
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES			10		0	3	13
	ACRES			2,813		50	50	2,913
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	2						2
	ACRES	554						554
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES	4		13		30	3	50
	ACRES	600		1,112		2,559	310	4,581
Southern Area	FIRES			1			3	4
	ACRES			367			3,096	3,463
TOTAL	FIRES	6	1	24	1	30	10	72
	ACRES	1,726	40	4,292	27	2,609	5,135	13,829

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					655		655
Northwest	FIRES	7	26	2			74	109
	ACRES	1,521	3,018	1,600			13,453	19,592
Northern California	FIRES	25	14	9	7	1	86	142
	ACRES	415	113	14,716	56	342	5,171	20,813
Southern California	FIRES		3	2	3		118	126
	ACRES		118	137	1,076		3,102	4,433
Northern Rockies	FIRES	3	18	38	4	2	97	162
	ACRES	156	2,522	11,966	219	58	9,638	24,559
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	15	5	3	7	25	57
	ACRES	170	2,016	346	487	780	4,557	8,356
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1	1	20		1	23
	ACRES		30	5	0		225	260
Southwest	FIRES	18	10	1	6		116	151
	ACRES	2,783	14,286	280	157		34,472	51,978
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	19	24	59	14	20	106	242
	ACRES	2,297	1,380	8,493	4,434	3,243	32,178	52,025
Eastern Area	FIRES	36		243	13	852	72	1,216
	ACRES	29,779		27,439	829	38,898	10,246	107,191
Southern Area	FIRES	26		90	66	314	830	1,326
	ACRES	15,153		50,883	49,338	191,510	843,436	1,150,320
TOTAL	FIRES	136	111	450	136	1,200	1,525	3,558
	ACRES	52,274	23,483	115,865	56,596	235,486	956,478	1,440,182

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WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						237	237
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1						1
	ACRES	128						128
Eastern Area	FIRES			2				2
	ACRES			1				1
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						70	70
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	2	0	0	2	5
	ACRES	128	0	1	0	0	307	436

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Canada Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-to-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-to-DATE
British Columbia	3	0	165	740
Yukon Territory	0	0	0	0
Alberta	7	0	169	186
Northwest Territory	0	0	2	4
Saskatchewan	1	0	61	1,266
Manitoba	1	200	36	2,637
Ontario	0	0	35	58
Quebec	1	0	37	61
Newfoundland	1	4	22	85
New Brunswick	1	4	27	27
Nova Scotia	1	0	122	238
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	8	2
Total	16	208	684	5,304

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